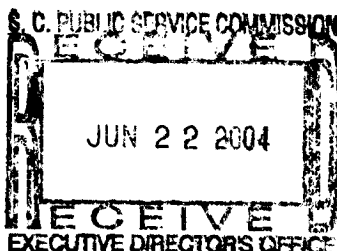


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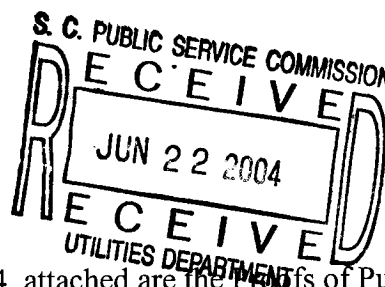
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June 21, 2004

Mr. Bruce F. Duke, Deputy Executive Director
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Dear Mr. Duke:



As directed in your letter dated May 20, 2004, attached are the Proofs of Publication for notices which were published in South Carolina newspapers on or before May 27, 2004 in regards to Sprint's filing in Docket No. 1997-239-C. A copy has been faxed to Mr. Jim McDaniel of the PSC Staff.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Cheryl W. Sweitzer
Docket Manager – South Carolina

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